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A YEAR

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

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By Telegraph

3.30 O'CLOCK.

SECOND BIG RACE.

Defender and Vigilant Trying

Each Others' Speed.

THE VALKYRIE SHOWS BETTER

SPEED THAN EITHER IN

LIGHT WIND. BOATS

BECALMED.

K. OF P. ELECTION TODAY.

Next Conclave at Pittsburg.

Train Robber Perry's Friend.

THE SECOND RACE.

Defender and Vigilant Off for the Second

Trial.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

SANDY HOOK, N. J., Aug. 28.—Today is

the day for the second of the trial races

set to determine whether the Defender or

Vigilant shall have the honor of meeting

Valkyrie III next week in the contest for

America's cup. The brisk early morning

wind gave promise of a good day.

Valkyrie early made preparations for a

sail, it being understood that the Brit-

isher would go out near the racers and

get a line on the new American boat.

There was a big fleet of steam yachts and

tugs in the procession down the bay, and

all eyes were on the Valkyrie as the fleet

passed the horseshoe.

Defender also came in for her share of

attention. She seemed in better trim

than ever before. Her white hull looked

far handsomer than the black body of the

English visitor. Her lines seemed finer

and her razer body and graceful bow

gave patriotic Americans hope that she

would prove a successful Defender of

America's cup.

The Start.

The course today was a triangular one

from Scotland light ship, eight miles on

each leg. The yachts crossed the line

amidst great cheering and steam whist-

ling almost at the same second. Defender

at 11:20.30 and the Vigilant at 11:20.40. The

wind was then west northwest blowing

about eleven miles an hour. The weather

was cloudy and hazy.

Valkyrie Better Than Either.

NAVESINK HIGHLANDS, N. Y., Aug. 28.—

At 12 o'clock Defender and Vigilant were

becalmed, while Valkyrie following them

had cut down their lead of two miles,

which they had, to about one mile. Val-

kyrie seemed to enjoy the light breeze and

was slowly crawling up on the racers.

Defender was about an eighth of a mile

ahead of Vigilant, the latter holding

gamely on to her rival.

Both Becalmed.

NAVESINK HIGHLANDS, Aug. 28.—At

12:30 o'clock Valkyrie had evidently seen

all she wanted of the racers at that hour

and so put about and headed up to north-

ward. At 12:55 Defender and Vigilant

were becalmed about three miles from

the stakeboat.

Defender Leading.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Aug. 28.—At 1:08

p. m. the wind slightly increased. De-

fender seemed to increase her lead to

about one and one-half miles. At 2:01

Defender turned the first mark and Vig-

ilant at 2:06:30.

THE MASONIC ELECTIONS.

Next Conclave to Be Held in Pittsburg

and New Grand Master Elected.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

BOYTON, Aug. 28.—At this morning's

session of the twenty-sixth triennial

conclave of the Grand Encampment of

Knights Templar of the United States it

was voted that the next conclave be held

in Pittsburg, Pa. Deputy Grand Master

Laure Thomas of Mayville, Ky., was

elected to succeed Most Eminent Sir Hugh

McCurdy, as Grand Master.

The visiting Sir Knights continued their

festivities today in the shape of excu-

sions to neighboring cities and towns, re-

ceptions, drives through the suburbs, har-

bor excursions, etc. The local knights are

keeping open house and entertaining

thousands of visitors.

ROBBY PERRY'S FRIEND.

She is Arrested in Troy Today and Taken

to Poughkeepsie.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

TROY, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Miss Amelia E.

Haswell, a city missionary was arrested

here this morning charged with aiding

the escape of Oliver Curtis Perry, train

robber, from Mattawean asylum. She was

taken to Poughkeepsie. Miss Haswell ar-

rived in Troy from Ocean Grove yester-

day, escaped the officers by going to Lam-

ingburgh, and spent last night in Hoosick

Falls.

New York Market.

Received through the office of A. M. Tucker,

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American Cotton Oil..... 110 7/8

American Sugar..... 20 7/8

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THE HEAVY TAXPAYERS.

A List of Those Who Pay Over One Hundred Dollars.

The following is a list of the tax payers

of the town and fire district who pay over

\$100 tax:

Adams National Bank \$1154.90, Amidon,
P. F. 110.10, Angell, Mary F. 630.43,
Archer, Oscar A. 124.76, Arnold, William
B. 912.80, Armstrong, W. W. 307.30, Arnold,
Mary N. 100.05, Ashe, P. J. 200.88, Arnold
Print Works 12,182.85, Gallup &
Houghton 3055.55, Barlow A. H. 132.33,
Barnes L. M. 128.50, Barber D. J. 648.88, Bar-
nard Edwin 281.80, Barber & Arnold 126.80,
Bailou Wm A. 197.38, Bartlett Brothers
234.90, Babbitt Mrs N. S. 418.60, Baptist
society 144.90, Berry Chas 175.05, Beas J.
H. 108.65, Benson Fred E. 108.60, Benoit
Fred 102.50, Billings C. W. 447.05, Billings
George & C. W. 134.55, Billings George
100.90, Bliss Mrs 100.90, Blackinton Wol-
len Co 2374.49, Blackinton Sanford estate
1,175.94, Blackinton Agnes 483, Blackinton
Susan E. 506, Blackinton S. F. and M.
A. 1,150, Blackinton F. R. 151.50, Boland
Bernard J. 374.60, Boland P. J. 862.82,
Brown Dr O. J. 230.15, Brown William E.
and Wallace 412.75, Brown Mrs P. P.
108.10, Brigham T. E. 163, Brewster John
284.90, Briggs C. F. & Co 240.55, Bredley
Mrs M. B. 101.20, Broderick Mrs Margaret
129.15, Brayton S. W. 220.66, Burke Mar-
garet 136.85, Bushnell Dr Homer 104.35,
Burton William 517.78, Burke Chas E. 778-
46, Burlingame & Darby 383.30, Burlin-
game estate, 802.70, Cady W. G. & C.
690, Cady W. G. 170.35, Cady H. T.
500.00, Cady Jane estate 563.50,
Cavanaugh M. 554, Cavanaugh T. J. 106.91,
Card Charles A. 274.31, Cary Dr W. S. 181.75,
Carpenter E. B. 119.30, Cady J. M. 641.40,
Cary E. J. 712.15, Chase George W. 696.68,
Christie & Co 126.50, Clark Herbert W.
709.25, Clark H. W. & Co 244.60, Collins
Timothy 951.90, Cook Oscar D. 132.68, Cody
J. H. 158.40, Couch M. E. 165.60, Coulmer &
Eddy 137.45, Congressional society 151.88,
Culver Mrs F. F. 136.20, Cusack Alex-
ander 144.60, Crane N. L. & Co 108.60,
Crawford E. 165.64, Cully & Co 125.50,
Cutting C. H. 167.60, Cutting & Co 235.90,
Daley Mrs Michael 152.95, Davenport Dr
A. F. 642.55, Darrow John estate 282.90,
Dibble S. B. & Co 366.85, Dix Dr G. W.
203.20, Dowlin M. R. 373.45, Doyle John
108.95, Eagan Thomas 181.40, Ellis W. C.
177.95, F. M. T. A. 230, Fairfield David 107.80,
Fitzgerald Morris 110.56, Fitchburg B. R.
Co 170.84, Flagg J. H. 450.50, Flaherty M.
283.18, Ford M. R. 130.53, Freeman Wallace
263.50, Freeman estate 165.60, Fuller
George 156.21, Gaylord W. H. 331.35, Gat-
slock Morris 502.25, Gallup W. A. 591.94,
Gallup Harvey A. 207.05, Goodrich F. H.
145.18, Goodrich J. C. 514.23, Goodrich &
Billings 138.15, Gorry Elizabeth 177.10,
Gove W. H. 160.00, Greylock Manufactur-
ing Co 4226.44, Gunning T. F. 108.95, Har-
ton P. M. 110.10, Harrison Mrs Eliza 254.80,
Hamer Harry 241.92, Hastings George A.
142.18, Hardman Sallie 167.90, Hawkes
estate 174.80, Hawkes Louise 147.20,
Hebert Louis 104.35, Hemlinway A. M.
120.12, Hodge M. D. estate 77.10, Hough-
ton C. O. 1,792.33, Hoosac Savings bank
1,242, Hopkins George 148.05, Hourihan,
estate 165.60, Houdine Amelia 168.46,
Hunter A. W. 284.30, Hunter J. E. 163.30,
Hunter J. D. 105.50, Hunter Mel C. 1204.30,
Hunter Mrs David 223.10, Isbell C. P. es-
tate 384.10, Jewett Diana 182.85, Jewett
M. C. 380.35, Jewett M. C. and others 151.80,
Jenks P. J. 153.96, Jones Watson and Rice F.
R. 135.70, Jeannotte Ray C. H. 158, Johnson
Manufacturing Co 4,679.24, Dunbar mills
580, Johnson estate 368, Kemp S. A. 314.80,
Kingsley estate 135.95, Kimball Mrs L. E.
885.50, Lally W. H. & Co 103.96,
Lawrence Geo P. 203.25, Lee A. A. 102.20,
Lenox Mrs C. P. 138, Loftus Thos F. 555-
03, Lomerang W. E. 130.80, Loomis estate
110.40, Lyons Henry S. 168.75, Martin estate
1183.35, Martin Bernard 164.73, Manning
Mrs D. 101.20, Matte Dr J. E. 160.70, Mc-
Connell Mrs Mary 188.50, Meade John 388-
85, Methodist society 384.10, Miller George
F. 217.05, Miller Alonzo 181.40, Millard Bil-
lings 207.12, Millard Dr H. J. 190.93, Millard
Norman L. 701.20, Miner A. D. estate 108.10,
Mignault Dr 151.50, Molloy D. H. 170.48,
Morris Owen 102.05, Mulrore Thos 407.85,
N. A. Manufacturing Co 328.44, N. A. Sav-
ings bank 713, N. A. Gas Light Co 767.80,
N. A. Fire district 114.45, O'Brien William
423.35, Olds Ben J. 165.80, Owens
Mrs Angeline 326.93, Parker Rodney 313.85,
Pearson T. 169.20, Pennington E. 313.85,
Pennington W. E. 194.28, Peach Chase S. 138.05,
Peck Alexander 229.70, Phelps T. C. 160.43,
Peck Andrew 137.35, Porter Hannan
Lally & Co 388.70, Porter & Hannan 101.30,
Porter Mrs W. P. 139.75, Pollard John 303.25,
Quinn Thos 170.10, Rand E. H. & Son 797.40,
Ramsdell H. M. 133.10, Ray F. N. 174.50, Ray-
mond Jane W. 186.30, Reardon Daniel
304.45, Reed Chas H. 237.62, Reed Fred W.
104.35, Reed Joseph estate 119.60, Reed J.
P. 146.90, Reed Chas 117.30, Riordan Tim-
othy 123.90, Richmond A. E. estate 1099.89,
Richmond C. Q. 226.08, Richmond Ella B.
103.50, Richmond Mary F. 305.90, Richar-
dson E. A. 205.55, Rice John A. 195.68,
Rice Dr Geo L. 291.27, Rich George N.
413.65, Robinson James T. estate 142.00,
Duck Mrs W. H. 110.40, Adams J. E. 628.83,
Transcript Publishing Co 105.80, Robinson
Mrs Clara T. 103.50, Sanford Michael 294.20,
Sampson Manufacturing Co 1037, Simpson
Dr Geo F. 130.80, Slattery James 188.30,
Smith John 114.70, Southwick Mrs Maria
230, Sperry W. H. 222.24, Sperry W. H. & C.
A. 138, Stafford Dr F. D. 134.25, Stead E. A.
432.30, Swift F. E. 1021.05, Taylor W. J.
449.81, Thayer S. Proctor 260.80, Thayer S.
107.80, Thayer Mrs E. 135.05, Thayer &
Porter 402.50, Tower Samuel A. 222.45, Tur-
ner Wm H. 188.03, Vadner Samuel 936.25,
Vadner Edmund 107.80, Vadner Bro.
107.80, Vadner Manufacturing Co 0479.48,
Walker F. A. 351.90, Walker Mrs P. A. 134.56,
Warren Leila E. 118.45, Warren M. E. 115,
Welch M. E. 111.74, Weber Brothers 193.20,
Wells Daniel M. 332.56, White Luther W.
108.95, White James 125.50, Whitney M. H.
245.58, Whitney Charles 262.48, Whitney
H. J. 106.65, Whittaker V. A. 136.55, Whitman
Estate 510.74, Whipple Emily B. 404.80,
Wilbur Jeremiah 167.60, Wilcox F. F. 168.08,
Williams Mrs C. H. 169.05, Withersell Arthur
406.58, Withersell E. J. 120.54, Witt Estate
171.35, Wilkinson & Bliss 168.05, Wilkinson
E. S. 290.08, Woodhead S. 205.55, Wright
Hon A. B. 238.00.

NON RESIDENTS.

Aldrich Estate 172.50, Abercrombie

Robert 113, Brodley Mrs James 171.35, But-

ter Mrs Ellen 136, Cady F. A. 188.75, Gallup

W. W. 101.20, Hagan Michael 112.10, Ham-

mond Co 133.20, Mason Silas 154.70, Os-

borne Mrs Emma H. 190.15, Richardson C.

A. 121, Sibley Mrs Hiram 125.50, Sibley Es-
tate 517.50, Thosam George S. 110.40,
Williams Eleazar 182.

HE GOT THE NICKEL.

Mixing Honesty With Dishonesty for a

Glass of Beer.

Of all the schemes for getting a nickel

or dime for the purchase of drink the

"plate of beans" racket is probably the

oldest and most common. Few indeed

are the men who have not been solicited

for the wherewithal to purchase a "plate

of beans." They know when they say

it in this way just what it means and in

nine cases out of ten the applicant knows

that they know it, yet the old dodge

continues to do good service and is therefore

one of the chief hallmarks of the profes-

sional tramp and bun for raising the bill

of wind which is so often followed by the

dunce.

And yet, with all its familiarity and ef-

fectiveness, the old "plate of beans" song

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I know not what record of sin awaits me in the other world; but this I do know, that I never was so mean as to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black.

—John A. Andrew.

SPECIAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUG. 29, 1895.

HAMPSHIRE-FRANKLIN PRESS CLUB.

Monday, August 26 inst., the Press Club of Hampshire and Franklin counties employed an excursion to Wilmington, Vt., over the Hoosac Tunnel and Wilmington railroad, by the invitation of the Newton Brothers, the proprietors of the railroad and the developers of recent industries in the upper Deerfield valley. By invitation of the club they were joined at Hoosac Tunnel by Editor Magens of the Adams Freeman, James H. Flagg of North Adams and C. H. Arnold of that town, who accompanied his friend Mr. Flagg, and the editor of the Transcript and his wife. In all a party of some forty persons, male and female, were taken by the special excursion train.

The Hampshire-Franklin Press club originated about a month ago, from an accidental meeting of a number of the newspaper men of those counties, and its membership embraces the ten newspapers published in Hampshire and Franklin, there being five in each county. Editor Parsons of the Greenfield Gazette is its president, and Editor Munn of Easthampton is its secretary. The club designs to pursue a modest and inexpensive existence, and is looking forward to an enduring course of usefulness as well as of enjoyment.

In one respect, at least, the membership of this club is exceptional, and could not be duplicated in many sections of the United States. Two of the newspapers represented in it are more than a century old.

The elder, which is the Hampshire Gazette, Editor Geer's newspaper at Northampton, is 109 years old. It speaks well for a newspaper and a community when so extended an existence is still in vigorous course, as the Gazette's enthusiastically is. Its early files are associated with matters strange yet stimulating to our modern sense. The revolution was hardly accomplished when its publication began. The memory of Indian wars and of disciplining Quakers in this very exacting commonwealth were still of present interest. The Congregational church was still both law and gospel to the inhabitants of Massachusetts, who then lived under a theocracy rather than a genuine republican rule. Open fires, industrial equality, and a very stable and enjoyable social order attended the Gazette's beginning. It has already seen strange changes, and may see still stranger before its worthy course is fully run. Printed weekly and known as the "Hampshire Bible," the Gazette some years since, not without reluctance, began a daily issue, which we are glad to learn now circulates 3000 copies, and is safely entered upon smooth and successful sailing; its still vigorous editor, Henry S. Geer, though by very much the Nestor of journalism in Western Massachusetts, not being taxed beyond his pleasure in its conduct, and finding in the co-operation of his two sons, associated with him in the business, adequate and loyal assistance, with the promise of many years yet of journalistic effort and influence.

The Greenfield Gazette, 103 years old, the younger of the two centenarian newspapers, is even a more unique newspaper property than its Hampshire namesake. Indeed, we fancy Editor Hall by no means realize the unusual felicity of his newspaper lot, which has for these many years rather tended to excite the envy of his newspaper contemporaries. Printed weekly in an office full of Yankee contrivances, with help long in employment and loyal in their interest and service, every week's 6000 copies of the Gazette are issued clean and satisfying typographically, and interesting in contents, to be distributed throughout the length and breadth of Franklin county, as an essential portion of its community life. We believe every town in the county sends its correspondent to the Gazette, and now the pressing problem is how to find room for their increasing volume. Verily the Gazette's lines have fallen in pleasant places, though it has entered and won these by character, conduct and constancy to all good causes.

It was pleasant to see on this excursion the friendly relationship between these elders and their newspaper associates, almost wholly quite young in years but ambitious of newspaper toils and accomplishment. A very heavy, genuine comradeship of newspaper folk and their families the whole excursion was, and the Press club of Hampshire and Franklin is sure of an auspicious beginning and the future promise such a beginning has.

QUAY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

And Matthew Stanley Quay has won in the most exciting convention of Pennsylvania Republicans in recent years. Only a few weeks ago and it was heralded through the land that Quay was politically dead forever. This announcement inspired Mr. Quay to take off his coat and go to work. Behold the result! The convention yesterday swept by this Napoleon of politics! Quay was dead! Quay is alive! Long live Quay! And he will see to the living himself by his own peculiar methods, and will give Governor Hastings and any other Republican politician in Pennsylvania political pointers that they have never yet dreamed of. Oh,

that man Quay! He and Platt! How they do bring things about while the other fellows talk!

The editor of this paper is in receipt of several letters on the Italian question. The last one is from Albany, N. Y., and brings out the forcible argument that the Italian is handicapped in coming to this country beyond others in the fact that the language is unknown to them and others are unwilling to give him a fair show. That is true. And this writer who signs himself "A Subject of King Humbert" closes his communication thus: "Remember, Mr. Editor, that we conquered the world hundreds of years ago and in the next general European war will do so again." We don't know whether this is so true or not. All credit to the Italian's world-conquering ambition and to every effort for his own improvement! Every one will applaud, we are sure.

There was a large advance in the price of wheat during June on account of the supposed shortness of the crop and the frost damage to the crops generally. No. 2 went up as high as 84. This same quality is now selling at about 60. This is an enormous decline in one of the great staples of the country, and as the country is at the beginning of a new crop year and the crop is estimated at 400,000,000 bushels, the decline will cut off \$80,000,000 compared with what would have been realized had the salable value of the new crop remained at the June figures.

Editors are wont to declare that the most important qualification for making a newspaper is knowing what got to put in. It is the same with campaign speeches, and P. Watt Hardin, of Kentucky, will realize this fact some day if he don't now.

H. O. Houghton, of the firm Houghton, Mifflin & Co., whose death occurred Monday, was one of the chief factors in maintaining the literary supremacy which Boston had achieved before he took part in the activities of publishing. He helped materially to make the "Riverside Press" famous. He was a self-made and self-educated man.

Boston saw the greatest crowd in her history yesterday and day before. The Knights did it.

THE RACE ENTRIES.

Horses That Will Trot, Pace and Run at Hoosac Valley Fair.

The following are the entries for the races at the North Adams fair, September 17, 18 and 19:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17.

2.50 class, open to all horses in towns of North Adams, Adams, Wilkesboro, in Massachusetts, and Fowling in Vermont. Divided, \$75, \$15, \$30, purse \$50.

Elmer Reeves, Adams, b. k. Sammy

C. C. Sherman, North Adams, ch. g. Seldom

Elmer Hewitt, do ch. g. Seldom

Edward McCraw, do b. g. Pete Winnie

A. A. Shaw, do b. m. Bessie K

C. F. Whitney, Stamford, Vt., b. s. Adwood

S. F. Tracy, North Adams, b. m. Dell R

Running race, half mile heats, best 2 in 2, Divided, \$50, purse \$50.

James Mulaney, Lenox, b. m. Tott

W. H. Mahan, North Adams, ch. g. Jim Murray

A. Gardner, Jr., do b. g. Tea Merchant

M. Delley, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., b. g. Fido

A. Chaffield, Plattsburgh, N. Y., ch. g. String Band

J. Smith, New York, ch. c. Philoria

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

2.50 class, trotting, purse \$250.

A. F. Dodge, Pittsfield, b. g. W. G.

C. C. Sherman, North Adams, b. g. Seldom

J. H. Webster, Pittsfield, b. m. appropriate

T. H. Eason, Pittsfield, p. m. Snorflake

H. Fox, New Haven, Conn., b. s. Tenie

A. D. G. L., Pittsfield, b. m. Maud H

M. H. P. us, G. A. Barr, N. Y., b. m. Admie

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8 a. m. New York City, 1.30, Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R.; Troy, N. Y., 6.20, New York City, Boston, South and West via Pittsfield. 1.30, New York and West via Pittsfield R. R. 11.37, Troy, N. Y., 11.40, Bridgeville, Stamford, Hartwell and Beardsboro, Vt.
1.30 p. m. Boston, New York, Pittsfield and Southern Mass., Maline, New Hampshire and Way Stations on Pittsburg R. R. 1.30, Florida, Mass., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2.35, Pittsfield, 4.40, New York, Southern and Western States, 5.50, Pittsfield, Worcester, Springfield, Holyoke, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Southern Mass., 7.00, Williamstown, Williamstown Station and Blackinton, 8.00, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Way Mail via Pittsburg R. R. 8.15, Boston & Albany R. R., Way Stations west of Pittsfield, 11.40, Boston.

SUNDAY—9 a. m., Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R., New York City and Troy, N. Y.

MAILS CLOSE.
8 a. m. Boston, Pittsfield, Adams, New York, Albany and Southern Mass., 8.40, New York, Albany, Troy, Williamstown, Williamstown Station, Blackinton, Southern and Western States, 9.15, New York, Albany, Troy, via Pittsfield R. R. 9.20, New York and West via Pittsfield R. R. 9.25, Boston, Canada, Beardsboro, and all points East via Pittsburg R. R. 9.30, 4.40, Troy, and all points West and Rhode Island, 11.00, Pittsfield, Adams, Williamstown and Southern Mass., 11.55, New York and all points West.

1.30 p. m. Bridgeville, Mass., Stamford, Hartwell and Beardsboro, Vt.; Florida, Mass., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2.35, New York City, Southern Mass., Worcester, Springfield, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Eastern and Southern Mass., 4.20, Boston and East via Pittsburg R. R. 4.25, Troy, and all points West and South, 7.45, Boston, New York City and all points East, West, North and South, reaches New York at 7 p. m., 11.15, Boston and East, New York at 11.40.

SUNDAY—7 p. m., New York, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, and all points West and South.

CANADIAN MAILS close at 11.55 a. m., 7.45 p. m., daily except Sundays; Sundays close at 7 p. m.

MONEY ORDER AND REGISTER OFFICES open daily (except Sundays) from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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CARRIERS' WINDOW SERVICE from 7 to 9 p. m.

SUNDAY DELIVERY 9 to 10 a. m.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

ADAMS.

Valentine Herman, prominent German citizen, died at his home at Bowen's corner about 2 o'clock this morning. Mr. Herman has been badly afflicted with consumption for the past year and he was dead at the age of 47 years and came to America when 19 years of age, spending eight years in various places until he reached the age of 27, when he came to Adams, where he has resided ever since. Some years ago he bought a farm at Bowen's corner, where he died. Mrs. Herman is survived by his wife, one daughter and a step-daughter. The funeral will occur from his late home Saturday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Goettel officiating.

Western Union Wire broke.

Passengers on the 8.57 o'clock train Wednesday night were considerably alarmed as the train passed the hedge near W. B. Plunkett's grounds. The cause of their alarm was peculiar rattling sound at the top of the train. The sound was caused by one of the Western Union telegraph wires which had broken and was striking against the train.

Another Live Wire.

It seemed for a minute or two Wednesday night that the better half of the old Phillips house which P. T. Tammara is having moved to Pleasant street, was in a fair way to end its existence in the middle of the road on Park street.

A wire which lay across the top was seized upon by the lightning which ran along and made a slight blaze on the housetop. Somebody procured a ladder and put it out.

In the Schools.

Following is a list of interesting notes regarding the public schools, in regard to meetings, holidays, etc.

At 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon there will be a meeting of the local school teachers in the main room of the high school building. Superintendent W. P. Beckwith will address the meeting on "The Relations of Teachers and Superintendent." Any persons interested in the schools or subject are invited to attend.

The school committee will meet at the superintendent's office at 9 o'clock, the first Wednesday of each month. Superintendent Beckwith's office hours are as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons, 4 to 5 o'clock; Tuesday and Thursday evenings, especially to issue age and schooling certificates, at 7 o'clock; Saturday mornings, 9 to 10 o'clock.

The training class will meet in room No. 8 on each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 4.15 to 5.15 o'clock, and in the preparatory class room of the high school, each Saturday morning from 10 to 12.

Teachers of the first and second grades will meet in Superintendent Beckwith's office at 4.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. On Friday, at the same hour and in the same place, the fourth and fifth grade teachers will meet. Two meetings of the sixth, seventh and eighth grade teachers will be held at the office on Monday, September 9 and Monday, September 23, after school hours.

The schools will close on the last day of Housac Valley fair Thursday, September 19.

The first pay roll will be ready on Friday, September 27.

St. Charles Fair.

Rev. Fr. Moran has engaged the opera house for the week of September 7-14 inclusive for the fair for which his parish is making arrangements. A meeting of the workers will be held some evening this week and the arrangements will be rapidly completed.

Engineer Rittenberg of the electric power company is sinking another well near the station.

Rev. Fr. Freeman is visiting in Chicopee Falls.

Rev. Fr. J. J. Moran of North Adams was Father Moran's guest this morning.

Rev. Fr. Laverdiere has returned from Canada to his labors at the church of Notre Dame. Fr. Trigance is out of town for a few days.

James Ellison has changed his residence and while moving yesterday Thomas Lahey acted in his place as conductor on the electric road.

Miss Mary Stapleton of West Rutland Vt., has been engaged as forelady in the Greylock shirt shop, to succeed Miss Christine White who went home to Leicester yesterday.

Mrs. Bonny of Cohoes is visiting her sister, Mrs. Francis O'Neil.

Miss Kate Walpole of Jewett City, Ct., is visiting Adams friends.

P. D. Powers is the only Adams man entered in the North Adams races Saturday. He is in three events: the mil-

open, the half mile open and the mile handicap. He will ride a Warwick racer. James A. and Peter Powers have started on their vacation and went with their wheels to Holyoke.

Miss Katie and David Drew of Brooklyn, who have been guests of Nicholas Russell's children for the past month, will return home tomorrow.

John O'Brien has bought the half of the old freight office for which the railroad company had no use, and Arthur J. Follett is moving it today to Mr. O'Brien's premises on Maple street.

The Congregational and Methodist suppers Wednesday evening were well attended.

Many people are suffering from sickness of one kind or another. Fevers are prevalent but summer complaint has had its grip on almost everybody. It is supposed that the water is rendered impure by the shallowness of the reservoir and is the direct cause of all the ills. If the state board of health do that for which they were appointed, they will consider the matter of the Adams water supply and give the people of the town a chance to inhale some of the pure liquid lying unemployed under the surface.

The J. S. Adams nine will cross bats with the Pittsfield Saturday afternoon on the Reelfoot grounds. The game will be called at 2 o'clock.

Some Pittsfield building movers were here today bargaining with D. B. Cook for the removal of the buildings recently purchased by him of W. B. Plunkett.

Mrs. D. B. Cook and daughter Cherrie, have gone to Northfield, Vt., for a three weeks' visit.

The cellar of the old Phillips' house is being filled up and the yard will connect with that of W. B. Plunkett.

Cyril Maynard has returned from his two weeks' vacation and is at work again in George N. Yeaton's store.

Lawrence Nealon is ill at his home on Summer street and James Keilher is filling his position in the American express office.

CHESHIRE.

Granville Bliss has just erected a ten ton \$500 family monument at the cemetery, of the finest Barry, Vt. granite, from Temple Bros. branch works at Pittsfield, L. S. Brown agent. It will be recollect that the late Judge Bliss of Adams has a similar monument from the same company.

Mrs. M. F. Jones has returned from a stay at York state of several weeks.

John Sweet, who has been visiting his mother a couple of weeks, returns to his home in Indiana, starting on his journey tonight.

Wilson Woodruff of Hebron, Ill., and son of J. G. Woodruff, is visiting his people in these parts, and is expecting to spend the winter east. He has been away seven years.

The service water here is fast stopping, although the supply has not been shut off by the authorities as yet. It would seem to be necessary.

Ernest E. Stillman of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting his brother, B. G. Stillman.

The Misses Sayles and Rollmond of Adams are guests of Mrs. Fitch Chase.

Silas Ostrander is driving the milk wagon for John Brown.

Mrs. Kate Potter of Whitesboro, N. Y., is stopping at T. Crandall's.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Badly Crushed.

Tuesday morning Richard McGuire started for the Gilbo quarry to tie about some stone. During Mr. McGuire's stay at the ledge it became necessary to move the derrick. He was aiding Mr. Gilbo when his left hand became wedged between the derrick and a stone, badly jamming the middle finger.

Miss Lena Crittendon of Northampton, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. L. Crozier, has gone to Chatham.

Miss Rosana Archambault of Christie & Co.'s store is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Postmaster Bushnell Danforth has purchased a bicycle and is learning the art very rapidly.

Mr. Thomas Stokes and daughter who have been spending the month of August at Bar Harbor have returned.

Patrick Dempsey is visiting friends in Northampton.

Rev. D. P. Hatch of Patterson, N. J., conducted the services at the congregational church Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Sewell of Troy, Penn., have gone on a driving trip and will be absent several days.

Mrs. E. R. Clark is suffering with a felon on her finger.

Mr. Nash of New York City is visiting at the home of Dr. F. W. Olds.

father, to two years in the State Reform school at Vergennes, Vt., and Paul Ridell was fined \$5 and costs as being an accomplice. These boys were the same that were before the police court at North Adams last Monday for vagrancy.

Rev. Mr. Cook is gradually improving and Rev. Mr. Lane, D. D., of Pittsfield has been engaged to supply through September.

Mrs. Starr and daughter, who have been visiting several days at Z. W. Kemp's goes to Savoy.

Mrs. Z. W. Kemp, Mrs. Starr, William Abbott, C. W. Kemp and Miss Lucy Kemp went to the top of Greylock last Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Bishop is teaching in Scarborough, Vt.

BRAYTONVILLE.

Miss Florence Gardner and Miss Hattie Potter of North Pownal are visiting at Edwin Bates'.

James Kelly of Franklin, Mass., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Boulger.

John Shields has resigned his position in the picking room.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ketchum of New Jersey spent Sunday here. Mr. Ketchum returned Monday.

D. J. Brown is spending a few days with his family at Hinsdale.

Hartwell Danforth has broken ground for a house on the lot at the rear of his father's.

NORTH POWNAL.

The fall term of the North Pownal graded school will commence September 2. The committee has sent out north every effort to select competent teachers. The principal of the high school comes well recommended and it is to be hoped that the school for the ensuing year will be a success.

Mrs. Charles Barrett and children returned home to Troy, N. Y., Monday of this week.

Mrs. John Barrett and daughter Ruth returned to Troy, N. Y., Monday.

Misses Anna and Rose Williams took a week's vacation this week visiting relatives and friends in Sursumont Falls, N. Y., and vicinity.

Jack Wells has returned home after quite an absence.

Mrs. Jennie Brown is getting ready to move to Springfield, Mass. She has purchased two residences in that city and intends to make Springfield her home in the future.

Supt. A. J. Dwyer has returned from the Knights Templar meeting in Boston and reports having had a good time.

G. H. Miner, paymaster, has been enjoying a week's vacation in Hartford, New York and Troy. He returned Sunday having had a pleasant trip.

Sewer Bank Caved In.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 29.—James Masterson, an Italian laborer, was killed yesterday by a bank of earth falling on him in a sewer.

New England Briefs.

The descendants of Robert Fletcher, who settled in Concord, Mass., in 1690, held a reunion at Boston.

The 25th annual reunion of the Nineteenth Massachusetts Regiment Veteran association was held at Lynn.

The executive committee of the Maine State grange has decided to call the next annual meeting at Bangor, Dec. 17 to 19.

Thomas J. Landers, aged 55, for 20 years superintendent of the granite cutters of Hurricane Island, dropped dead at Rockland, Me.

An Illinois Flood.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 29.—A cloud-burst, accompanied by a tornado, swept this vicinity yesterday afternoon, raging torrents filling the dry water courses, sweeping away trees and the tents at the "Wild West" show at the fair grounds, where 5000 people were panic stricken and drenched, but escaped injury and death.

Mrs. Riddle and Mrs. R. R. Riddle were driving home with their daughters, aged 3 and 7, respectively, when their buggy was swept from a bridge by the flood. The children were drowned.

Quay Wins.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 29.—Senator Matthew S. Quay won in his fight with Governor Hastings by a majority of 30 votes, and was elected state chairman unanimously. In his magnanimity he shook hands with Governor Hastings, who had been made permanent chairman of the convention, and the noisy delegates who had come prepared to fight entered into a love feast.

Another Mackay.

ROME, Aug. 29.—The action for the dissolution of marriage before the Naples tribunal does not concern Princess Colonna, Colonna being already legally separated from his wife, the Duchess Santodoni, but Ferdinand Colonna Stigliano, Prince of Gualatro, "who married a lady named Mackay, a native of Havana."

Rich Pittsburg Man Killed.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 29.—James Getty, a wealthy liquor dealer, was shot and killed yesterday by Alexander Hutchinson, formerly proprietor of the Merchants' hotel. Getty was the owner of the Hotel Wille, and the murder was the result of a dispute over the leasing of the hotel to Hutchinson.

Welcomed by Old Friends.

HAMPSHIRE, Aug. 29.—The German-American veterans arrived here yesterday afternoon from Bremen. The railroad station was crowded with spectators, who cheered the visitors vociferously as they marched through the lines of Hampshire veterans, who were drawn up on either side in their honor.

The transfer steamer Morrisania, of the New Haven and Hartford company, was burned at Hoboken, N. J.

A movement has been started in the south to erect a monument to the memory of Annie Lee Carter, the mother of General Robert E. Lee.

London newspapers announce the engagement of Sir Charles R. Wilson to Violet Monty, sister of Lord Vaux.

THE DEFENDER.

The Valkyrie people have reason to suspect that the Defender is well named.—Rochester Democrat-Chronicle.

The Defender gives satisfactory evidence that he intends to live up to his name and make a nation happy.—Baltimore American.

A Sheriff in Skirts.

At Springfield, Mo., America's first female sheriff was appointed recently. A five day deadlock was ended in the county court by the appointment of Mrs. Helen C. Stewart to be sheriff of Greene county, to succeed her husband, who died a few weeks ago. As the sheriff must preside at all executions for capital crimes Mrs. Stewart may yet become the world's first woman executioner.—Philadelphia Record.

Fine Peal of Bells.

A contract has been awarded to the Meneely Bell company of Troy, N. Y., for placing a peal of bells aggregating 22,700 pounds in the tower of the new city hall and courthouse of Minneapolis. This building is one of the most magnificent in the northwest, costing over \$5,500,000. The bells will be 360 feet from the ground and will be the largest peal of bells in this country.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Twenty Years to Fetch a Clotheline.

Twenty years ago Charles Wright, a boy, was sent by his stepmother in Fox Lake, Wis., to buy a clotheline. He did not return. His parents moved to Wilmot, S. D., where Wright found them the other day. He brought the clotheline; a wife and four children.—New York Sun.

He Knows What It Is.

It is not surprising that President Cleveland is fond of sleep. No man can be the father of three babies without learning how to appreciate it.—Chicago Tribune.

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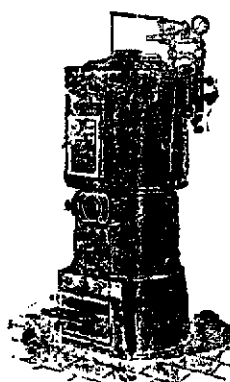
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Joe Walcott Made Quick Time In Putting Dick O'Brien to Sleep.

A Fast and Furious Contest of Just One Round.

The Battle Was For Blood and the Lowiston Man Met His Waterloo.

BOSTON, Aug. 29.—Dick O'Brien of Lewiston, champion middle weight of New England, was knocked out in the first round of what was to be a 25-round bout, by Joe Walcott, colored, of Boston, last evening. It was no secret that the fight was to be for blood, as O'Brien, whose only defeat was at the hands of Walcott a year ago, was determined to retrieve the lost honor, while Walcott was just as determined to retain what he had won. Last night's exhibition settled the question of superiority, for the knockout was clean, determined and fatal to O'Brien's hopes.

Both men realized that this contest last evening meant much for them in their future careers, and they trained faithfully. O'Brien weighed in yesterday afternoon at 150, while Walcott was 137 pounds lighter. O'Brien also had about two inches the better in height. The betting was 100 to 50 in favor of Walcott, but last evening a number of bets were placed at even money.

"Short and Sweet."

Walcott was the first to put in an appearance in the ring. He was seconded by Tom O'Rourke, Jimmy Gordon and Maurice Kelly. When O'Brien appeared shortly afterward, he was given a perfect ovation. The fighting was sharp from the start. O'Brien, for a second, landed his left on Walcott's jaw and his right on the stomach. Walcott then straight-countered and almost immediately landed tellingly on O'Brien's jaw, and the Lewiston man went down. He recovered quickly, however, and both men went at it again in a rapid manner, but Walcott again found an opening and floored O'Brien, who again recovered his feet for the second time.

The next instant Walcott planted a left on the heart and a right on the jaw, and O'Brien fell and lay on the floor. When eight seconds had been counted, the gong rang for the end of the round. As O'Brien then showed no evidence of being able to proceed, Referee David gave the decision to Walcott.

A Magnificent Affair.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 29.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt gave a ball last night at the Marble Palace which out rivalled all social events ever given here for splendor and magnificence. The affair was given in honor of Miss Consuela Vanderbilt, and she, with R. T. Wilson, Jr., led the cotillon, the favors of which were imported. A fountain, encircled by humming birds, butterflies and bees, was a feature of the decorations.

A Fine Show.

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 29.—President's day at the New England fair was a big success. The floral parade passed in review before Governor Cleaves and staff, Mayor Baxter and the city government, and Admiral Bance and the officers of the North Atlantic squadron, and thence to High park. Nearly all of the prominent merchants and corporations of the city were represented by handsome floral floats.

"Doesn't Remember."

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 29.—James H. Curtis, assistant superintendent of the Prudential Insurance company, who has been missing for over a week, has been heard from in New York. He explains that he did not know anything from the day of his disappearance until last Monday, when he woke up in a barn in a small village on the Hudson river.

Granville's Centennial.

GRANVILLE, Mass., Aug. 29.—The Granville centennial, observed in honor of the Rev. Dr. Timothy Cooley, a settler, to whom the town owes much, was largely attended, many of the sons of Granville taking the opportunity to revisit the scenes of their childhood. The services were held in the old church.

Maine Vets Meet.

GARDINER, Me., Aug. 29.—The third annual reunion of the Twenty-fourth Maine regiment was held here yesterday. Twenty-five members were present. Edwin Tolman of Richmond was elected president. There was a parade, after which a campfire was held.

The Stark Reunion.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 29.—The annual reunion of the descendants of General John Stark, the hero of Bennington, was held yesterday afternoon at the Stark homestead. There was a large attendance at the business meeting of the family association.

Shot Himself.

SEYMOUR, Conn., Aug. 29.—Charles Mathers, a cigar manufacturer, was found dead in the rear of his factory yesterday. He had shot himself through the heart. He had been despondent over business affairs.

Increase Denied.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 29.—Forty men employed in the finishing room of the Silver Spring bleachery struck yesterday for an increase from \$1 to \$1.25 a day. Superintendent Wolfendale refused the increase.

Way Down East.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 29.—The state board of assessors are shortly to go to Westbrook county, where meetings will be held with the city and town assessors regarding the taxation of property.

McMahon's Double Dose.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 29.—Michael McMahon, 46 years old, who has been drinking heavily for three weeks, took sugar of lead last night and afterward out his throat. He cannot recover.

Signs of Growth.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 29.—The postmaster general has been petitioned by citizens of Providence for the establishment of three or more postoffice sub-stations throughout the city.

Didn't Go Fishing.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Aug. 29.—Mr. Cleveland devoted yesterday to business. Private Secretary Thurber was with him part of the day and assisted him.

Encouraging Figures.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 29.—Statistics regarding the manufacture of butter and cheese in the factories and creameries of the state show that the number of creameries in the state which make butter exclusively is 24, one not having commenced business until 1895. Besides, there are two factories which manufacture both butter and cheese. The creameries, where attention is devoted to butter alone, represent a capital invested in plant and equipment of about \$50,000.

A Notorious Criminal.

HARTFORD, Aug. 29.—John Gillespie, who was sentenced at Worcester, Mass., to 25 years in state prison for burglary, is a notorious criminal. He served 13 years in the Connecticut state prison for burglary at the late Rev. Dr. J. C. Gage's house in this city. Dr. Gage captured him at the time.

SULLIVAN A MARKER.

Clevelands Had on Their Batting Clothes and Watched the Bestons.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—The home team lost the first game of the present series, principally through Sullivan, although McDonald was a great assistance. The visitors batted like fiends, were tricky and did everything imaginable to win. Young, the tall product of a small hamlet in Ohio, was in the box and pitched a steady and careful game. The home team played rather loosely in the field and many base hits should have been stopped.

Cleveland..... 0 2 2 0 0 1 2 1 2-10
 Boston..... 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 1-5
 Base hits—Cleveland, 10; Boston, 10. Errors—Cleveland, 1; Boston, 2. Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Sullivan and Tenney.

At New York:
 New York..... 1 0 1 1 1 3 0 1-8
 Cincinnati..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-0
 Grand slam—New York, 9; Cincinnati, 1.
 Base hits—New York, 9; Cincinnati, 9. Errors—New York, 2; Cincinnati—Runde and Wilcox; Barrett and Vaughn.

At Brooklyn:
 Brooklyn..... 0 8 0 0 4 1 0 0-12
 Louisville..... 1 1 0 0 1 0 2 0-5
 Earned run—Brooklyn, 8; Louisville, 1.
 Base hits—Brooklyn, 15; Louisville, 8. Errors—Brooklyn, 5; Louisville, 4. Batteries—Daub and Leland; McEwen, Geringer and Spies.

At Philadelphia:
 Philadelphia..... 1 0 0 3 1 0 0 0-5
 Chicago..... 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0-3
 Earned run—Philadelphia, 3. Base hits—Philadelphia, 9; Chicago, 10. Errors—Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 2. Batteries—Orla and Clements; Terry and Donahue.

At Baltimore:
 The Pittsburghs not arriving on time, the umpire gave the game to Baltimore by a score of 9 to 0.

Baltimore..... 0 3 3 3 0 0 0 0-11
 Pittsburgh..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0
 Earned runs—Baltimore, 4. Base hits—Baltimore, 11; Pittsburgh, 7. Errors—Baltimore, 8; Pittsburgh, 6. Batteries—Hoffer and Clarke; Foreman and Merritt.

At Washington:
 Washington..... 1 0 0 4 0 0 0-5
 St. Louis..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0-5
 Earned runs—Washington, 2; St. Louis, 4.
 Base hits—Washington, 9; St. Louis, 8. Errors—Washington, 8; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—McGraw; McEwen, Geringer and Spies. Game called on account of darkness.

At New Bedford—New Bedford, 6; Fall River, 3. Fall River, 9; New Bedford, 2.
 At Brockton—Pawtucket, 18; Brockton, 8.
 At Lewiston—Augusta, 4; Lewiston, 2.
 At Portland—Bangor, 17; Portland, 8.

The Dogpat Massacre.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 29.—Details of the recent attack made by a band of Bulgarians upon the Mohammedan village of Dogpat, across the Turkish frontier, in the Rhodope mountains, show that the attack occurred at dawn and while the villagers were asleep. The Bulgarians used dynamite bombs and set fire to the houses. Men, women and children, it is claimed, were killed indiscriminately, and according to one version of the affair 300 persons perished.

Admits His Guilt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Edward Bannon, 26 years old, who claims to live in Boston, was arrested last night, having robbed the house of E. W. Kemble at New Rochelle on the night of Aug. 12, and getting about \$1200 worth of silverware, which was afterward recovered, the thief having thrown away the valise which contained the booty. Bannon acknowledged that he was guilty.

Can't Collect.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Judge Bischoff yesterday handed down a decision holding that the Gray-Percey racing bill is unconstitutional. The decision was in a suit brought against the Flushing Jockey club to recover the amount of a stake which was forfeited pursuant to the provisions of the act.

Seven Persons Missing.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 29.—A party of five men and two women, from Cape Breton, are missing. They attended tea at Fifteen Point on the 26th and left for home the following day, but they have not been heard from since.

Sympathy For Patriots.

COLOCO, Aug. 29.—A resolution has been presented by the municipality of Panama asking the other municipalities of Colombia to join in a petition to the government asking it to recognize the Cuban patriots as belligerents.

Built Brooklyn Waterworks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Henry S. Welles, builder of public works, died yesterday. Probably the greatest work of the firm of Welles & Co. was the erecting of the waterworks of Brooklyn, a contract of \$5,000,000.

Politics at Bottom of It.

AJACCIO, Corsica, Aug. 29.—A duel with pistols was fought yesterday between Signor Benedetti, a journalist, and Dr. Alessandri. The latter was killed. The quarrel grew out of a political discussion.

Gold Standard Favored.

AUGSBURG, Aug. 29.—The German trading associations yesterday adopted a resolution in favor of a gold standard.

Generous Brazilians.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 29.—The senate has passed a bill granting general amnesty to political offenders.

Ample Evidence of Murder.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 29.—Coroner Castor is in possession of the premises on which bones of young Howard Pitzel were found at Irvington. An examination of the bones showed that the large bones are parts of the pelvis. Holmes will be indicted in this county for murder.

Twenty-Six Months in State Prison.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—George R. Rogers, who abandoned his 5-year-old son, James M. Rogers, in the Continental hotel in this city, three weeks ago, was yesterday sentenced by Recorder Goff to 26 months in the state prison.

Old Firm Fails.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Spelman Bros., importers and dealers in toys and novelties, have assigned to Stephen V. White, the banker. The firm has been established about 50 years and carried a stock valued at \$250,000.

Azote Breaks a Record.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—At Fleetwood park yesterday Azote trotted a mile in 2:05, the fastest time ever made on that track, the best previous mile having been made by Nancy Hanks, 2:06.

Peter Passes.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Peter Jackson, the pugilist, says he will not reply to Peter Maher's challenge. The colored fighter says it is very unlikely that he will ever enter the ring again.

Ashore Off Japan.

HIOGO, Aug. 29.—The American ship Henrietta, Captain Ross, from New York Dec. 17, via Yokohama, is ashore in Koo channel, with nine feet of water in her hold.

Quarrymen Killed.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 28.—Two men were killed and one fatally injured by the explosion of a dynamite blast yesterday in a stone quarry near Schads.

Tammany Judges Went Legally.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The supreme court has decided that the new police court law which legislated out the Tammany justices is constitutional.

DUNRAVEN AT GOTHAM

Says Valkyrie Will Be Ready to Race by Sept. 7.

English Boat Goes Out For Another Spin.

Vigilant Was Delayed and Failed to Get Into a Friendly Race.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Among the passengers on the steamer Teutonic, which arrived here last evening from Liverpool, were Lord Dunraven, his two daughters, and James E. Watson, the designer of the Valkyrie.

Lord Dunraven was seen on the steamer at quarantine. He was anxious to learn the latest news concerning his yacht, and was pleased that she was in trim for the trials which she is taking daily off Sandy Hook. When asked concerning the yacht's prospects, he said that he knew very little of her abilities as yet, and that those who saw her performances here were better able to judge. He said that the yacht would be ready to race Sept. 7.

The Valkyrie's Spin.
 Valkyrie III started on another sail-strengthening trip yesterday. This time she carried mainsail, staysail, jib and club-sail. The people on the yacht were ashore at daybreak.

The sailors on the Vigilant were also astir, and it was evident the Gould boat would again try and get a brush with Valkyrie if she went out. The wind at that time was from the northwest at about 10 miles an hour, but when Valkyrie dropped her moorings there were only about eight miles in it, and from the west, apparently hauling to the south-west, with promise of a good sailing breeze.

Valkyrie's big clubtopsail attracted a great deal of attention, as it was seen for the first time in these waters, but there was no opportunity to compare it with Vigilant's, as she was delayed in getting her mainsail in place, and Valkyrie had slipped away from her in the light breeze.

At the same time it was evident that the sail was larger than the biggest yet spread by any yacht in this country, although its exact proportions could not be estimated. Under the full sail it looked as if the American yacht would be entitled to

Considerable Allowance From Valkyrie.
 Under the influence of a light breeze, Valkyrie headed for the deep water near the southwest spit, with her sails filling well and at a fair rate of speed. As soon as she got into the ship channel she lowered her staysail, and hauling her sheets flat she sailed up the bay in a breeze which did not blow more than four miles an hour. Even then she heeled very over.

She stood on this course for a short time, sending up another staysail while on the port tack. The sail seemed to set better than the other, and when she reached the junction of the Ship and Swash channels she turned smartly on her heel and headed down the latter, out to sea on the starboard tack. As Valkyrie stood out to the eastward and southward through the Swash channel she seemed to test a fair breeze and set her jibtopsail, thus having all plain sail to catch whatever wind there was.

She soon reached the Romer beacon, where she met the strong floodtide. The wind dropped to almost nothing and seemed to be coming out of the southeast. Valkyrie found that she could not stem the tide, so she went about and headed up the channel again.

The Fastest Runner.
 NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Tommy Conner, at the New York Athletic club's country house on Travers Island, lowered the world's one-mile record to 4:15 3-5, beating his own best mark by two full seconds, and the performance of Bacon, who, in the English championships two weeks ago, made the distance in 4:17 flat.

Nixon at Ku-Cheng.
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The state department has received advices from Minister Denby, dated Aug. 27, in which he states that Mr. Nixon, our consul at Foo-Choo, started for Ku-Cheng in the early part of the month, under orders from him to investigate the recent riots.

A Capitalist's Mishap.
 LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 29.—Arthur Master, son of Lord Arthur Master of London, fell from a window at Middleboro yesterday and was fatally injured. He came to Kentucky with other English capitalists to boom Middleboro.

Confident Croker.
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—Richard Croker ventures the assertion that New York will go Democratic in the autumn, which, he adds, with the return of prosperity, will make the Democratic chances good for the next presidential election.

Disastrous Cloudburst.
 CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 29.—A cloudburst in the district of Sidi Aich caused enormous damage. An Arab village was destroyed; 14 dead persons and 16 severely injured have been removed from the ruins.

Made the Job Complete.
 NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Charles Postulka, a butcher, killed his wife yesterday with a butcher knife. The woman was cut in 13 places, and nearly every wound was sufficient to have caused death in itself.

Editor Burch Dead.
 NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Robert A. Burch, managing editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, died yesterday, aged 44 years. He was one time managing editor of the Evening Post of this city.

Directly Oudene.
 GALESBURG, Ill., Aug. 29.—Judge Hurt, the 3-year-old colt from Texas, won a heat in the 2:15 class, pacing, in 2:02 1/2, which displaces Directly's 3-year-old champion race record of 2:10 1/2.

Alleged Abductor Caught.
 HUDSON, N. Y., Aug. 29.—Albert D. A. is in jail here, charged with being instrumental in attempting to abduct little girls. He was identified by one of them.

A Tip in Advance.
 COPENHAGEN, Aug. 29.—The betrothal of Prince Christian of Denmark and Princess Maude of Wales will be proclaimed on Sept. 7.

Failed For a Million Lire.
 ROME, Aug. 29.—The cotton firm of Staub & Guyer of Cornigliano has failed for over 1,000,000 lire.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.
 A revolt seems inevitable in Honduras. The hereditary Grand Duchess of Oldenburg is dead.
 A loan of \$15,000,000 will be sought in London for New South Wales.
 Secretary Morton wants to know what became of sorghum sugar machinery.
 Louisiana is to have a new railroad devoted chiefly to interests of sugar planters.
 Burglars secured \$10,000 in money, papers and stamps at the Rush (Mo.) post-office.
 Germany now threatens to withdraw from the proposed international monetary congress.

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